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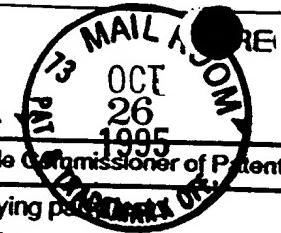
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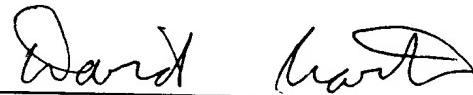
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We, David P. Martin of 82 Hibbert Street, Arlington, Massachusetts 02174; Oliver P. Peoples of 27 Radcliffe Road, Arlington, Massachusetts 02174; and Simon F. Williams of 20 Deerfield Road, Sherborn, Massachusetts 01770, in consideration of Ten Dollars and other valuable consideration paid to us by Metabolix, Inc., a corporation of Massachusetts having its principal place of business at 303 Third Street, 2nd Floor, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02142-1196, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Metabolix, Inc., its successors and assigns, the entire interest for the United States of America and its territories and all foreign countries and jurisdictions, including all rights of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property in a certain invention or improvement in "Methods for Isolating Polyhydroxyalkanoates from Plants" described in the application filed herewith in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office by David P. Martin, Oliver P. Peoples and Simon F. Williams and in all Letters Patent of the United States and its territories and all foreign countries and jurisdictions which may or shall be granted on said invention, or any parts thereof, or on said application, or any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, renewals, reissue or other applications based in whole or in part thereon. And we agree, for ourselves and our executors and administrators, with said entity and its successors and assigns but at its or their expense or charges, hereafter to execute all applications, amended specifications, deeds or other instruments, and to do all acts necessary or proper to secure the grant of Letters Patent in the United States and in all other countries to said entity, with specifications and claims in such form as shall be approved by the counsel of said entity and to vest and confirm in said entity, its successors and assigns, the legal title to all such patents.

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David P. Martin

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
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Then personally appeared the above named David P. Martin and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed, before me, this 24th day of October, 1995.



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